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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Dear Sir:

Applicant respectfully petitions for a one-month extension of time within which to respond outstanding Office Action dated October 4, 2005, setting a new time for response that expires on February 6, 2006, (since February 4, 2006, is a Saturday). The Commissioner is authorized to charge the fee of \$120.00 to Deposit Account No. 502306.

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